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Mr. Ross:

Pursuant to your conversation with my paralegal, Ms. Lillian Montano, on Monday, June 14, 2004, in order to move this application forward and to avoid abandonment of the same, the basic national fee must be paid to the U.S. Patent Office.

I have attached hereto the relevant credit card authorization transmittal for payment of the basic national fee in the amount of \$317.00 in the above-entitled application.

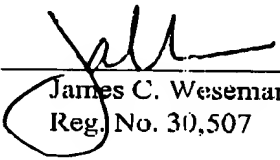
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